Steel City Mennonite Church Mid-Week Connection February 21, 2018

The **Worship Team** will not be meeting tomorrow (Thursday) evening. Come prepared to play the same song set this Sunday that was scheduled for last week.

Last Sunday's weather conditions resulted in the cancellation of our morning services. Those types of conditions make it very difficult to make the cancellation/delay decision. It is always better to error on the side of caution. Since we didn't meet last Sunday, the **India Mission Team** will be sharing this week in our morning service. You will not want to miss hearing the stories of God's presence!

Sunday Evening Prayer Gathering - Join your brothers and sisters as we enter the throne room of grace and mercy together. See you Sunday night at 6:30 p.m.

Pastor David and Bev are attending the Conservative Mennonite Conference Pastor's Meeting in Belleville, PA this week. This is an annual gathering of CMC Pastor's and spouses. They return home Friday.

Dave Kempf will be having the **Children's Message** this coming Sunday, February 25, and will be giving the children and adults the opportunity to **Present their Coins for Penny Power** through Mennonite Central Committee. Remember to bring your coins!

Church Council will be meeting **Monday** evening at 7:00 p.m.

Our **February Lunch Bunch** will be held next Wednesday, February 28, at The Flying Egg, 451 Main Street in Bethlehem. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer or on the SCMC app if you would like to attend.

The **Youth Group** is having a **Hoagie Fundraiser** for their missions trip this summer. Hoagies will be available for pick up at the church on Wednesday, March 14 starting at 11:00 a.m. They must be picked up by 8:30 p.m. Hoagies cost \$5.00 each. Please place your order and give payment to Tara by <u>Sunday, March 4</u>. There is a sign-up sheet in the fover.

The SCMC Leadership Retreat will be held on Saturday, March 10, from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. in the lower level.

Please be praying in the next month about teaching or helping in one of our **Sunday School** classes. The Spring Quarter will begin on March 25, and continue until June 24. There is no Sunday School on April 1 for Easter. If you would like to know the qualifications for teaching Sunday School or the classes available, please talk to Tara Willard.

Vision Statement:

Steel City Mennonite Church (SCMC) will invite **everyone**, **everyday**, **everywhere** to journey together in developing a life-changing relationship with our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Mission Statement:

Steel City Mennonite Church (SCMC) is a Bible-believing community connected by a common need for a Savior with the passion of cultivating Christ-followers in the Lehigh Valley and to the ends of the earth.

Meet for **Weekly Koffee and Konversation** at the Hellertown Diner on Tuesday mornings at 8:00 a.m. Come and enjoy a great time of fellowship together!

Next Week's Bible Reading Plan: February 25, Luke 12; February 26, Luke 13; February 27, Luke 14; February 28, Luke 15; March 1, Luke 16; March 2, Luke 17; March 3, Luke 18.

This Week: Nursery Staff, Val Newcomer, Elizabeth McSloy; **Worship Team Leader**, Kelly Schoch; **Ushers**, John Cressman, Randy Willard, Harold Lehman; **Children's Message**, Dave Kempf.

Please Pray For... Phillip & Betsy Rhodes Fisher, as they serve in Morocco; Bart & Jessica Tossenou, and their work in China; Nicolas & Jennifer Haddad, serving in Lebanon; Rolando & Andrea Zelaya serving in Spain; Those in authority over us (government leaders); Laura Lansing who is having total hip surgery tomorrow, Tommy

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